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Re: RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35
U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED
STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED
OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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Our Ref.: B-5691PCT 622624-8

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For: "FIRE RESISTANT MATERIAL"

Date: March 7, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Attn: U.S. National Stage Processing
PCT International Division

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) dated December 7, 2005 (copy enclosed), please find enclosed the following:

1. Declaration/Power signed by the inventors identifying the application by PCT international application number and PCT international filing date; and
2. Check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date.

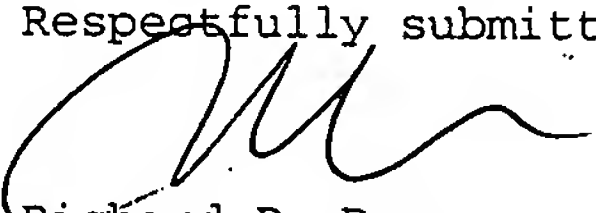
REQUEST TO DELETE INVENTORS

The Examiner should note that it has been determined that three persons listed as inventors in the International Appln. No. PCT/AU2003/001443 (Matthew Allen Anglin, Barbara Lord MacLean and James Macon Peterson) should not be included as inventors in this application. Statements from two of the persons being deleted as inventors are enclosed herewith. A statement signed by Barbara Lord MacLean will be provided as soon as it is available.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Account No. 12-0415.
- [X] 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees and presentation of extra claims)
- [X] 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)
- [] 37 CFR 1.18 (issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b)).

Respectfully submitted,


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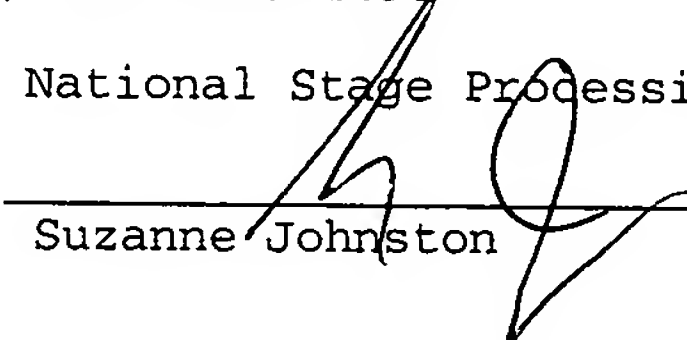
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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